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SUBJECT: FCO BRACES FOR ANOTHER MINTOFF VISIT

REF: BONN 10703

1. FCO OFFICIAL TOLD EMBASSY OFFICER THAT MALTA PRIME MINISTER MINTOFF ARRIVES IN LONDON FOR SHORT VISIT JULY

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2. VISIT HAS BEEN ARRANGED PRIMARILY AT MINTOFF'S

INSISTENCE AND HMG NOT PARTICULARLY ANXIOUS AT THIS TIME TO SPEND GREAT EFFORT ON VISIT.

- 2. FCO BELIEVES MINTOFF INTERESTED IN PRESENTING HIS MEDITERRANEAN PROPOSALS DIRECTLY TO UK AS HE DID IN FRG (REFTEL). UK POSITION HOWEVER IS CONSIDERABLY EASIER BECAUSE OF STRONG LINE TAKEN BY SCHMIDT IN BONN OBVIOUSLY WITH PRIOR UK/FRG CONSULTATION. ACCORDING FCO CALLAGHAN WILL ADMONISH MINTOFF NOT TO JEOPARDIZE SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION OF CSCE BY "ADVENTURIST PROPOSALS."
- 3. FCO BELIEVES MINTOFF WILL EXPAND AT SOME LENGTH ON HIS GENERAL PROPOSALS TO CREATE SUPPORT FOR INCORPORATION OF ARAB NORTH AFRICA IN THE CONCEPT OF EUROPE. IN GENERAL FCO SEES SOME MERIT IN THIS PROPOSAL BUT DOES NOT WISH TO INTERFERE OR DELAY CSCE MEETING IN HELSINKI

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